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MEXICAN UPRISING PLOT DISCOVERED AT EL PASO

Conspiracy Reported to American Officers in Command of Forces—Troops in Mexico Again on Trail of Villa

(Special to The Herald)
El Paso, Tex., April 8.—The pursuit of Francisco Villa, the leader of the Mexican bandit forces, temporarily halted by lack of supplies, was resumed this morning by the American troops south of Chihuahua City and the American cavalry is now but 80 miles from the position where their quarry was last reported. The receipt of these supplies reached the American vanguard late last night and they are now fully equipped for their dash. They are headed for the Parral district and are reported by wireless to be making fast progress.

Interest in the man hunt diminished here today with the development of two startling rumors: first, the denial on the part of foreign minister Aguilar, Carranza representative at Querétaro, that the American forces have the permission of his chief to use the Mexican railroads for whatever purposes they think necessary. The second rumor, and one which has created much uneasiness, was the revelation of a conspiracy in El Paso to start an uprising among the Mexicans living on the American side of the border. This information has been brought to the attention of the commander of the

American troops and is being investigated.
The troops under General Pershing and Colonel Duda, taking up the trail against Villa, are finding the work extremely difficult owing to the delay caused by their supplies giving out. This delay would not have been had the Carranza government given the United States permission early in the campaign to use their railroads. The head of the column is now about forty miles north of Parral and is eighty miles from the point where Villa was last reported.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and Vicinity—Probable snow or rain tonight and Sunday. Fresh easterly winds, increasing.

Sun Rises..... 6:14
Sun Sets..... 6:18
Length of Day..... 12:03
High Tide..... 3:55 pm, 4:30 pm
Moon Sets..... 12:14 am
Light Automobile Lamps at..... 6:45 pm

GERMAN FORCES HAVE GAINED FRENCH WORKS

Assault Against Verdun Fortress Renewed Friday Night With Successes for Teutons

(Special to The Herald)
Paris, April 8.—The German forces again attacked the Verdun position on both sides of the Meuse river last night. In the Verdun section, the French war office in an official communication issued today, admitted that the Germans made great progress south of Marcourt on the front northwest of Verdun but that northeast of the fortress the attack of the Teutons, against the slopes of Fort Vaux were repulsed with severe losses to the Kaiser's men.
The Marcourt line, representing the

west side of the French salient, the apex of which is Bathenecourt, was assailed during the night but the German drive against the French position east and south of the village failed. The attack to the east was repulsed with heavy losses after severe fighting but to the south, the Kaiser's forces succeeded in occupying two of the French works.

French counter attacks against the enemy's positions southeast of Bathenecourt made considerable progress, as it did on the slopes on the positions east of the Meuse.

MAY ORDER COAST ARTILLERY TO BORDER

Situation in Washington Such That on Demands of Funston for More Men This Action is Thought at Least One for Discussion

Washington, April 8.—A most serious middle to the Mexican situation be-

came evident today in official circles following the discovery that the original order sent to General Funston made perfectly plain that the expeditionary forces could not be withdrawn without accomplishing the chief object, the capture or death of Francisco Villa. It was learned that General Funston has taken the position that he should have more troops on the border immediately in order to protect his outlying field column of cavalry now engaged in chasing the Villa band. According to the report of Funston made to the department, he fears that the small body of men may at any time be enveloped and destroyed.

General Funston wants troops enough to form an extensive communication guard to protect the columns and the supply lines. To do this will require the immediate calling out of 13,000 coast artillery corps men to act as infantry or an order to the National Guard to mobilize at once on the border to act as a border defense troop.

These two steps department officials are loath to take. President Wilson, after talking to the state department by wireless, has cut short his week-end trip on the Mayflower and is rushing back to Washington where he is expected to be late this afternoon.

The original orders issued to General Funston were: "March 10, Washington.—To the commanding general of the southern division of the United States, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.—You will properly organize an adequate military force commanded by you and headed by Brigadier General John J. Pershing and will directly proceed to cross the Mexican border for the capture or destruction of the Mexican band which attacked Columbus, N. M., on the night of the 8th. These troops will be withdrawn to American territory when the de facto government of Mexico gives satisfactory evidence that they have the situation in hand. In any event, the work of these troops will be regarded as finished as soon as the Villa band or bands are known to be dispersed or broken up."

The question of calling on the heavy artillery, or of ordering the National Guard to mobilize is being discussed here this afternoon.

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SAYS PARTIES WILL BE SPLIT

Charles W. Greene of this city appeared as a fraternal delegate at the Maine State Socialists' Convention, held at Portland recently, and during

the session he was heard with other speakers. Mr. Greene argued that with the end of the war in Europe, there will be renewed interest in socialism, and that the Democratic and Republican parties will be split over new issues.

PURCHASES THE SISE HOUSE.
Dr. Wallis D. Walker has purchased the Edward Sise house, on Middle street, occupied by the late Joseph W. Pierce, and will later take up his residence there following many improvements now under way.

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FRENCH COUNTER RECOVERS MUCH OF GROUND CAPTURED

**Tentons Succeed in Holding Three Hundred Yards
Northeast of Deadman's Hill Taken in Strong
Assault on Verdun Stronghold**

Paris, April 7.—German forces have penetrated a French trench of the first line between Bethincourt and Chantancourt, according to announcement made today by the French War Office. The locality is in the region west of the Meuse. A French counter-attack at once drove them back from a large portion of the positions thus seized.

The text of the statement follows:

"To the west of the River Meuse, in the course of a night attack delivered after a violent preparatory bombardment against our positions between Bethincourt and Hill No. 285, German forces made their way into a French trench of the first line on the highway between Bethincourt and Chantancourt. We at once made a counter-attack which drove the Germans back from the greater part of the possessions they had been able to seize. At the present time the enemy holds only certain advanced positions along a front of about 300 yards.

"East of the Meuse there has been an intermittent bombardment, and we have continued to make progress in the communicating trenches of the enemy located southeast of the fort of Douaumont.

"There has been some artillery exchange in the Woëvre district but the night along the remainder of the front passed quietly."

French Hit Back Hard

French troops in hand-to-hand fighting southwest of Fort Douaumont carried German underground passages and works about a front of five hundred yards to a depth of about three hundred yards. A violent bombardment was directed by the Germans to the east of the Meuse against Cote du Poivre, but the French curtain of fire prevented an infantry attack, according to the official statement issued by the war office last night.

"In the Argonne we exploded a mine in the region of Vanuysers.

"West of the Meuse the Germans continued to bombard persistently the Bethincourt salient and the villages of Ennez and Montreville.

"East of the Meuse Cote du Poivre was subjected during the course of the day to a violent bombardment which foreboded which foreboded an attack, but our curtain of fire prevented the enemy from setting out from his trenches.

"Southwest of Fort Douaumont a series of small hand-to-hand engagements enabled our troops to progress in the underground passages and works of the enemy on a front of five hundred yards to a depth of more than two hundred yards.

"A counter attack delivered by the enemy at the end of the day completely failed.

"In the Woëvre our batteries concentrated their fire on various points of the enemy's front.

"In Lorraine our military displayed activity east of Lunéville, between the Vezouse River and the Vosges.

"There is no other important event to report on the rest of the front except the usual cannonading.

Haucourt Gain 'Important'
Berlin, by wireless to Sayville, April 7.—German newspapers today carry-

comment on the capture of the village of Haucourt, northwest of Verdun, by German troops," says the Overseas News Agency. "They point out that the village was exceedingly well fortified by all means of modern military art, the place being a redoubt with machine guns disposed in terraced formation, dominating the whole Forges brook valley.

"While Haucourt held out, the Germans could not cross Forges brook. For this reason the French defended it with the utmost tenacity. The capture of Haucourt is an important step in the systematic rolling up of the French front. The German losses were insignificant."

Russians Make Slight Gain

Petrograd, via London, April 7.—The official statement from general headquarters issued today says:

"South of the Dnieper region the hostile artillery developed a violent fire in the region of Vidsy, north of Lake Mladzie, as well as in the region between Lakes Mladzie and Narocz.

"Aeroplane flew over a great part of General Evert's front, dropping many bombs.

"In the upper Stripa region our scouts dispersed enemy working parties, wrecking trenches which were under construction.

"During the occupation of the village of Sverlovke we unearthed forty two land mines and seized many cartridges, rifles and grenades. Yesterday the enemy tried to recapture the village but was repulsed.

Turks Escape Trap

London, April 7.—According to despatches from Petrograd, the Turkish attack on the right bank of the Russian army in the Caucasus, which was reported in Wednesday's Russian official communication, occurred thirty miles from Trebizond, near the spot where the hospital ship Portugal was torpedoed.

"The Turkish infantry engaged in these operations was under the command of Halil Bey, and comprised several divisions, including reinforcements from the Gallipoli Peninsula.

"The Turkish attack in this district indicates that this particular army continues to maintain its cohesion after the Erzerum disaster and has succeeded in holding the vigilance of the Russian coast patrol ships, which hoped to cut off the escape of the Erzerum army in this direction.

Repulse Austrian Assaults

Rome, via London, April 7.—The official communication issued by the Italian War Office last night says:

"Our detachments are active along the front from Stelvio to Gulleraria. There have been artillery duels from Garda to Upper Adige. In the Sogana Valley there have been artillery engagements. In the zone of the Laganza torrent in the vicinity of Brenza, the enemy was repulsed with serious losses. In the Upper Isarco rain and fog have hindered operations, except artillery, which have been intense on the heights northwest of Corzila.

"The Corso on Tuesday night was repul-

sed two small attacks on Mone Saa Michele."

Roll Back Turks Near Kut

London, April 7.—The official news bureau issued a statement last night recording an important gain near Kut-el-Amara. The report says:

"General Lake reports that the Tigris corps under the command of Lieutenant General Sir George F. Gorringe, who succeeded General Aylmer, attacked the enemy's entrenched position at Umm-el-Henna, on March 6. Our trenches had been pushed forward by means of saps to within 100 yards of the enemy's position and the leading battalions of the Thirtieth Division then rushed the enemy's first and second lines in quick succession.

"The third line was captured by 8 a. m. under the support of concentrated artillery and machine gun fire. The Thirtieth division continued their victorious advance and by 7 a. m. had driven the enemy out of his fourth and fifth lines.

"Aeroplane reconnaissances then reported that the enemy was strongly reinforcing his entrenchments at Felahie and Sannayyat positions respectively 5000 and 12,000 yards from the front trenches at Umm-el-Henna. As those positions could only be approached over very open ground, General Gorringe ordered a further attack deferred until evening.

"In the meantime, on the right bank of the Tigris Division, under General Keary, captured the enemy's trenches opposite the Felahie position. During the afternoon the enemy on this bank made a strong counter attack with infantry and cavalry supported by guns. This counter attack was successfully repulsed and the position won was consolidated.

"About 8 p. m. General Gorringe continued his forward movement on the left bank and carried the Felahie position.

"The reports indicate that the Umm-el-Henna position was strongly entrenched.

Prince Pleads for Greece

London, April 7.—Prince Nicholas of Greece, in a letter to Lord Burnham, pleads for better treatment of Greece by the Entente Allies. He says:

"The great grievance of the Greeks is that their maritime communications have been paralyzed to such an extent that the country has repeatedly been on the verge of starvation. Ever since German submarines made their appearance in the Mediterranean and Aegean Seas, the rumor has persistently been set afloat that they had based in Greek waters. Such preference would be explicable. If these boats needed to have their base close to radius of activity. Proof to the contrary is that it is now commonly believed that the Arabs in Egypt and Tripoli were supplied with arms and ammunition direct from Pola by submarines."

"The letter mentions as an aggravated instance of the Allies' rigorous control of Greek commerce the case of a ship carrying a quantity of telephone apparatus from America for use in the palace of King Constantine. The same ship, the letter asserts, carried as passengers General Moschopoulos, commander of the Salonica army corps, with all his staff, but despite the standing of these passengers the ship was taken into Audros and detained there many hours without adequate reason. The letter after a reference to the close ties between Great Britain and Greece says:

Resents Charge of Deserting Serbia
"The Greek nation is under the painful impression that full justice has not been done them and the Greeks resent accusations constantly made against Greece of not having kept the Greco-Serbian treaty and of fostering hostile intentions towards the Entente Allies, especially the allied army in Macedonia. Happily, however, it appears that the British public has begun to appreciate matters more justly. The absurdity of secret hostile designs seems to be becoming self-evident. A study of the case had made it clear that neither the spirit nor the letter of the Greco-Serbian treaty obliged Greece to intervene, while from a practical point of view it is obvious that such intervention would have brought disaster for Greece and no material benefit to Serbia.

Several Times Offered Aid to Allies
"Greece on several occasions offered to place herself at the disposal of the Entente Allies and these offers were sacrificed to a chimerical desire to befriended other powers. Every unbiased onlooker recognizes that the Hellenic general staff acted purely on military grounds when in February, 1915, they foretold the failure of the first Dardanelles expedition, and when months later they showed that the only way to reach Constantinople and enlist Bulgarian help was to march through Thrace with a large army."

AMBASSADOR FRANCIS EN ROUTE TO RUSSIA.
Hon. David R. Francis, American Ambassador to Russia, started from New York City on Thursday afternoon for his far off post in Petrograd. He sailed from this country on the Scandinavian liner, Oscar II, the same vessel utilized by the peace party under Henry Ford. Former Governor Francis of Mo. will be mixed to a great extent in this section as he has been a summer resident of Rye Beach for a number of years. The good wishes of a large number of citizens of this city and section go with Ambassador Francis as he travels towards his post of difficult duties.

Read the Want Ads.

EUROPEAN WAR WILL END ON JUNE SEVENTEIN

**LONDON BANKER MADE SEVERAL
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COME TRUE AND SETS THIS
DATE.**

London, April 8.—The following story is from the Financial News: In the latter half of last year—so runs a London legend—an officer called on his bank manager with regard to certain dispositions of his balance preparatory to his departure for the front.

"You won't be away long," said the manager.

"How do you know?" was the reply. "You will be back in quite a short time, wounded in the hand."

When the officer actually returned, with a wounded hand, and in a short time, he was puzzled. However, his wound healed, and he was off again. He went to bid "good-bye" at the bank.

"Any more prophecies?" said he, jokingly.

"You will be away longer this time," replied the manager, "and then you will be rather badly wounded in the leg."

When the officer was wounded in the leg and came home, he sought the first chance to interview his far-seeing friend at the bank.

"As you can foresee my wounds can't you give me the date of the end of the war?" he asked.

"The war will end," said the manager, "on June 17, next. But I shall live to witness it. I shall just about see New Year's day and that's all."

He died on Jan. 2. The officer is now looking forward with extraordinary interest to June 17.

CAREER OF VILLA NEMESIS

Colonel George A. Dodd, the leader of the cavalry attachment which rode fifty-five miles in seventeen hours and smashed Villa's command near Guerrero on March 29, has a long record of active service against Indians, Spaniards and Filipinos. He retires this year, so the present expedition is a fitting crown to his career.

When he was graduated from West Point in 1875 his classmates included Herbert W. Stinson, now commander of the Twelfth Cavalry, whose men bore the brunt of the Columbus raid; Hugh L. Scott, now Chief of Staff of the Army, and Brigadier General Ernest A. Carlington, Inspector General.

The young West Pointer was assigned to the Third Cavalry and almost immediately entered the long struggle to pacify the Indians of the west. For ten years he was campaigning almost constantly. He took part in the Powder River expedition of 1877, the actions against the Indians of the Red Cloud Agency in 1878, the Ute expedition of 1879, where he won official commendation for gallantry, and the Arizona operations of 1883, and helped put down the hostilities in what is now Oklahoma State in November, 1893.

In the Spanish War, Dodd, now Captain, fought at San Juan Hill and participated in the operations against Santiago, July, 1898. His work brought a second commendation for gallantry.

After a short tour of duty at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., he went to the Philippines and was part of Major Gen. Young's command in the North Luzon expedition. He participated in twelve engagements. General Young recommended him for Brevet Major for gallant conduct in action at San Nicolas, P. I., in November, 1899, and General Wheaton added his recommendation for conspicuous gallantry at Aliganjan in April of the next year.

On his return to the states in 1901 Dodd did garrison duty at Fort Ethan Allen and later at Fort Assiniboine, Mont. In July, 1904, he was made a Lieutenant Colonel and assigned as second in command of the famous negro Tenth Cavalry. He became a Colonel in April, 1908, and was put in command of the Twelfth Cavalry.

Colonel Dodd was doing the duties of a Brigadier General as head of the Second Cavalry Brigade on the border at the time when Villa made his Columbus raid.

PRISON SUNDAY TOMORROW

New York, April 8.—Churches over the whole United States will observe tomorrow as Prison Sunday.

This is the result of the campaign by the committee on religious work, organized by the National Committee on Prisons, with Dr. James S. Egbert of Columbia University at the head. Representatives of all denominations are included.

An unexpectedly hearty response has been received from the churches. The committee asks the churches to co-operate in three ways: Ministration within the prisons; the placing of a right environment around ex-prisoners; the moulding of public opinion to a right conception of the prisoner.

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FORMER HAVERHILL MAN GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

Woodstock, Vt., April 7.—Charles Leighton of Sharon, formerly of Haverhill, Mass., who was found guilty yesterday of manslaughter for the killing of Albert Gibson in February, was sentenced today to from 17 to 20 years in state prison. Leighton shot Gibson in a quarrel over the ownership of logs.

The jury was out yesterday one hour and 15 minutes, and returned a verdict of manslaughter against Leighton who has been on trial here eight days.

There were many people in the court room when the verdict was returned, including the wife of the respondent, who collapsed as Foreman George R. Guernsey of Windsor reported the verdict. The respondent wept as he was taken from the room.

Attorney Raymond Trainer, in his argument for the defense told of the condition of Newell when he returned to his home, his face covered with blood, explained how "little Wallace" went for his father and the fact that Wallace told him there were some men in the woods and they had half killed Newell.

"Would you not have gone up there?" he asked the jury, "and would you not have stopped and got something as the father did to protect himself?"

"The only evidence in the case to even infer that the logs belonged to Gibson came from Spaulding, who said he saw a place where some logs had been snaked out. Rightfully and legally by Charles Leighton and his sons unloaded those logs that had been unlawfully loaded. He did no different than any man would have done to protect his own property."

"Did he have any intention of going up there to kill a man in broad daylight with his two sons and five other men as witnesses on the ground? He simply took the gun to protect himself."

Attorney Trainer explained the location of the teams in the woods and how, according to the Spaulding's statement, Gibson came down the hill and the boys came at him with two sleds. Not one of those "heroes" from Sharon moved, he said, and the assault continued, both the Leighton boys striking at Gibson over the head, although he told the jury the medical examiner could not find a scratch on Gibson's head.

WARNING TO MUSHROOM GROWERS
Washington, D. C., April 7.—As a result of a serious case of mushroom poisoning, in a mushroom growers family recently, the mushroom specialists of the U. S. department of agriculture have issued a warning to commercial and other growers of mushrooms to regard with suspicion any abnormal mushrooms which appear in their beds. It seems that occasionally sporadic forms appear in mushroom beds, persist for a day or two, and then disappear. These are generally mature, inhabiting species and may be observed shortly after the beds have been eased. In the instance cited, however, these fungi appeared in considerable numbers at the time the edible Agaricus campestris should have been ready for the market and the dealer supposed it was probably a new

brown variety and tried it in his own family. As a result, five persons were rendered absolutely helpless, and were saved after several hours only by the assistance of a second physician who had had experience with this type of poisoning.

In the opinion of the department this case is peculiarly significant and demonstrates that the grower must be able to distinguish Agaricus campestris from any of the wild forms of mushrooms that may appear in the beds. Under the circumstances the department strongly urges every one who grows mushrooms to make himself thoroughly familiar with the cultivated species. Complete description with pictures of poisonous and cultivated species are contained in Department Bulletin, 175, "Mushrooms and Other Common Fungi," which can be purchased for thirty cents from the Superintendent of Documents, Gov-

ernment Printing office, Washington, D. C. The Department of Agriculture has no copies of this bulletin for free distribution.

THE HUB OF SOUTH AFRICA

Rev. F. B. Bridgman, the speaker at the North Church on Sunday evening, has been a missionary and traveler in South Africa for many years. He is particularly acquainted with the great mining center, about Johannesburg, and he will speak of life and work there, and of the influences which radiate from the city which is the hub of South Africa.

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New Order Reduces Allowance Senator Hollis Is to Give His Wife.

Concord, April 8.—Considerable reductions in the amount Senator Henry P. Hollis will have to pay his wife, Grace Fisher, Hollis has made in the new order, issued yesterday by Judge Oliver W. Branch. The senator will pay Mrs. Hollis \$1000 cash, instead of \$3000 as ordered last December and the monthly allowance is reduced from \$340 to \$200.

The court has also disencumbered the real estate of the senator. The order was brief, merely announcing that the order of December had been reconsidered. The order is made operative from January 1, 1916.

The arguments on the application for a revision were made in this city several weeks ago. Edward K. Woodworth appearing for Mrs. Hollis and Alexander Murchie a former law partner of Senator Hollis, appearing as his friend and as a friend of the court.

There was a marked discrepancy in the estimates of the senator's income, after the payments set forth in the original order, but in his behalf it was claimed that he would be left with less than \$700 a year.

NOTICE TO BUTTON BUSTERS, I. O. O. F.

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PER ORDER
Josiah M. Varrell, King.
Chas. H. Kehoe, Secretary.

NOTICE.

The Piscataqua Savings Bank issued to me prior to Jan. 1, 1916, a savings bank book No. 20583, which said book I have lost. I desire a duplicate book from said bank, and herewith publish notice of the loss of said book, as provided by Chapter 45, Public Acts and Resolves of the State of New Hampshire, passed January Session, 1905.

ROY F. WINN.
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MANCHESTER AUTHORITIES IN CONTROVERSY

School Board Members and Superintendent Have Spirited Row Over Dismissal of Teacher.

Manchester, April 8.—"When I got anything," said Superintendent Chas. W. Bickford before the school board last night "I want to get it good and hard. I realize I am getting something now and I want to get it right here. I want to know why I am getting it."

"I have selected many teachers for the high school and they have proved to be as good as any ever selected by any sub-committee. It seems strange that you have gone behind former methods and have taken a matter from the hands of the superintendent that legitimately belongs to him. I ask for the reason for this change of methods."

This expression by the superintendent followed action whereby the appointment of a high school teacher, to succeed Miss Stella B. Chamberlain, resigned, was taken from the hands of the superintendent and given to a special committee. It was one of several hitches which were more or less thrown out in the course of the session. But in some there are still a few wrinkles left for the later attention of the committee.

Among these was the tabling of Mr. Bickford's recommendation that compulsory military drill be made a part of the high school course for all boys physically able to participate in it.

Mr. Bickford presented the resignation of Miss Stella B. Chamberlain as commercial teacher in the high school and this was accepted. W. J. Heron had been placed as substitute in charge of her work by Mr. Bickford and he asked for approval of his action.

It was at this point that the first fireworks of the night began. Committeeman Watson stated that he understood objection had been raised to the appointment of Mr. Heron, and he moved the appointment of a committee of three to appoint the teacher who shall succeed Miss Chamberlain.

Superintendent Bickford objected to this procedure, stating that it was against the rules of the board. Committeeman Watson then moved the suspension of the rules, and his motion in this form carried.

When the question came up later, Superintendent Bickford freely expressed himself and requested a reason for the unusual action of the board. There was none forthcoming however. Committeeman Watson who is chairman of the special committee to select a teacher was looked upon as leader of the movement, maintained silence. After the meeting he said that any explanation he could have given would have involved the names of people who were not at fault for what might have appeared to be the trouble with the teachers.

In the absence of Mayor Spaulding, chairman of the school board, Vice Chairman Allan M. Wilson presided. On the special committee to choose a successor to Miss Chamberlain, he appointed Committeemen Watson, Wallace and Hurley. Some discussion arose as to the salary at which the committee shall be empowered to secure a teacher, and it was finally voted to instruct the committee to secure a teacher at a salary not greater

than \$700 for the remainder of the term.

The question of military and athletic training in the schools came up and a special committee, of which Rev. Ora Craig is chairman, was appointed to consider the entire subject of physical and military training and to report at a later meeting.

THREE BRITISH LINERS LOST

One Torpedoed and Two Destroyed by Mines on Friday Night, According to Lloyd's Reports.

(Special to The Herald)
London, April 8.—The British liner Chantala has been sunk, presumably by a submarine, and the British steamers Biplatan and Clyde have been blown up by mines. Lloyd's dispatches announcing the destruction of the three vessels state that the crews of both the Biplatan and the Clyde were saved, but give no details of the crew of the Chantala. The Chantala was the larger of the three and had a displacement of 4948 tons.

PERSONAL PICKUPS

Miss Hilda Stevens was a visitor in Concord on Friday.

Mrs. Elta Bartlett of Somerville, Mass., is visiting friends in this city. Charles Gerrish is visiting his sister, Mrs. Arthur I. Chase of Lynn, Mass.

Miss Marion Humphrey of Lancaster, N. H., is the guest of relatives on Walnut street.

Mrs. Robert Spier of Waltham, Mass., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank D. Butler.

Fred H. Ward has returned home after passing several weeks at Palm Beach and Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Hatchelder of South street are rejoicing over the birth of twin boys, born today.

Miss Alva Howe of Newburyport is passing the week-end with her sister, Miss Mary Rowe, of State street.

Miss Mildred Gove has returned to her home in Plymouth, Mass., after a short visit with her aunt, Mrs. Willis Underhill.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. McCutcheon of Walling, Mass., is the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Adams of Rockland street.

Word has been received here of the safe arrival of Dr. William O. Junkins in Havana, Cuba and he reports a pleasant voyage down.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Smith of South Framingham, formerly of this city, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lord of Rock street have returned home.

Mrs. Arthur I. Chase and two daughters have returned to their home in Lynn, Mass., after a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Chase's mother's home, Mrs. Charles C. Gerrish of Sagamore avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Tilton left this morning for Hadding, N. H., to open up their cottage for the summer. They were accompanied by their granddaughters Miss Emily Tilton of this city and Miss Mildred Jordan of Portland, Me.

SENATOR HOLLIS NAMES WILSON FOR RE-ELECTION

In Ohio Speech Says Bryan Today Is the Roosevelt of 1900.

New Philadelphia, O., April 7.—Senator Henry P. Hollis of New Hampshire, spoke at a Democratic banquet here tonight taking for his subject, "Breaking Up a Party." Mr. Hollis said in part:

"The situation of the two great parties today bears a striking resemblance to the situation existing sixteen years ago, but their positions are exactly reversed. In 1900 the Republican party was strong, united and harmonious, satisfied with the administration of President McKinley and bent on his re-election. The Democratic party on the other hand was divided into two camps, one radical, the other conservative."

"Mr. Bryan had been the radical leader of the Democratic party in 1896, and conservative Democrats had refused to vote for him. He was the one commanding figure in his party in the year 1900. Mr. Bryan's nomination was inevitable."

"Four years ago the Republican party was rent by the fight between its radical and conservative wings. It shared the fate that met the Democrats in 1896. It is now trying to unite its shattered forces, and reconcile elements that are irreconcilable. Its situation as to candidates is the same as the Democratic situation in 1900."

"The Republican Bryan is Mr. Roosevelt. He is the radical leader of his party. The nomination of Mr. Roosevelt seems inevitable."

"This parallel, though striking is entirely natural. It is the evolution that goes on in every political or business organization. A group of strong men gets control of the party. They are young, vigorous and progressive. They know each other and they trust each other. They exclude new men from the inner circle. In the course of 20 or 30 years these men and their policies are old and outworn, but the party leaders are incapable of change."

"A striking exception in the conservative wing of the Republican party proves the rule which we are considering. The only young man who has been allowed to become a national figure in the regular organization of the Republican party for the past ten years is Senator Woodworth of New York. All the other prominent young Republicans such as Borah and Kenyon are in the radical wing."

"But note the difference in the Democratic organization today. Every man in President Wilson's cabinet is younger than the President. In 1896 young men and new policies took possession of the Democratic party. The young men and new policies still dominate it, but it took sixteen years to organize and discipline the party effectively. The problem that now confronts young men is to keep its young men and progressive plans dominant. Such a course is assured in the coming campaign. The Democrats approach the election of 1916 as the Republicans approached the election of 1900, confident, aggressive and supremely satisfied with their President and his administration."

"It is an impossible task for the Republicans to reconcile their differences at Chicago in June. A truce may be arranged but a perfect union of the radical and conservative wings is out of the question."

"Perrone and La Follette will not mix; Root and Pinchot cannot fraternize; Roosevelt and Barnes will not even dissemble their love. And the new men who are to take the places of these plumed and warring knights are not yet in sight."

"We may safely predict the nomination of Roosevelt in 1916 even as Mr. Bryan was nominated in 1900. And with equal confidence we may predict the re-election of President Wilson, even as McKinley was re-elected 16 years ago."

STATE SUPERVISION OF SCHOOLS URGED

Methodists in Conference at Manchester Passed Resolution Asking Legislature to Act.

Manchester, April 8.—A resolution introduced by Rev. J. W. Alderson at yesterday's session of the New Hampshire Methodist Conference recommending that the legislature be urged to enforce compulsory state supervision of public schools; that the employment of teachers who have had a normal school training be encouraged and that the secretary of the conference bring the matter before the next New Hampshire legislature, was adopted.

The chief business of the session was the choice of three delegates to the general conference at Saratoga next month.

There were 86 ballots cast. Edgar Blake of Chicago, secretary of the Sunday school board, received 64; Rev. Raymond H. Huse, pastor of the Baker Memorial Church of Concord, 57; Rev. C. C. Garland, pastor of Grace Church, Haverhill, Mass., 50, and they were chosen.

Alternates chosen were Rev. E. S.

Tasker of Lawrence, Mass., and Rev. T. E. Cramer, superintendent of the Manchester district.

The quadrennial meeting of the lay electoral conference was presided over by the president, Charles C. Smith, of Lebanon, with Harry B. Sanborn of Manchester, as secretary. The following were chosen delegates to the general conference on a ballot in which 80 votes were cast: Lee C. Abbott, Manchester, 80; George L. Plimpton, principal of Tilton Seminary, Tilton, 50; Thomas W. Lang, Amesbury, Mass., 72; Alternates, John Young of Rochester, Dr. R. E. Wilder of Whitefield, and J. M. Russell of Manchester.

The annual meeting of the Laymen's Association was presided over by Lee C. Abbott. C. C. Smith of Lebanon was chosen president; F. K. Wentworth of Somersworth, J. D. Cordon of Concord and W. W. Davis of Nashua, vice presidents; H. B. Sanborn of Manchester, secretary and treasurer.

Resolutions on the death of Manley H. Varney of this city and Charles H. Hartwell of Lawrence, were adopted. Arthur T. Cass was chosen a delegate to the National Missionary League convention at Washington, the last of the month.

Rev. Arthur Wright, Rev. Donald H. Gervais, Rev. William C. Farwell and Rev. James C. Watson were transferred to the New Hampshire conference.

Walter R. Pierce, William J. Marshall and Lester E. Alexander were received on trial, while the following were received into full membership of the conference: George J. Buckley of Alexandria, Walter H. Upham of Auburn, William C. Farwell of Nebraska; James C. Watson of Oklahoma and George Davies of Lynn.

The delegates were entertained by an old folks' concert directed by John Robertson. Mrs. Caroline Foye Flinders gave readings.

MAINE HOTEL OWNERS VOTE TO RAISE RATES

Meeting of State Association in Bangor Votes to Establish \$3 Minimum Under American Plan.

Bangor, Me., April 8.—At a special meeting of the Maine Hotel Association held last night it was voted to increase the American plan rates on May 1 to a minimum charge of \$3 a day or \$3.50 with bath, because of the increase in operating supplies, and other expenses.

The agreement was signed by two Bangor hotels, two in Portland and one each in Brunswick, Augusta, Waterville and Rumford. C. A. Hill of the Belgrade Lakes house will represent the association at the 20th New England meeting in Boston on Monday.

The members of the association were entertained at dinner by Lord Chippman of the Bangor house. Mayor John P. Woodman was a guest.

MIDDLE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Morning service at 10.30 with sermon by the pastor.

Sunday school at noon in the chapel. Men's class in the annex.

Evening service at 7.30. Song service followed by address by the pastor on "Things We Lose." After singing in the Guild room. All are welcome.

The King's Daughters will hold a Silver Tea in the chapel from 3 to 5 Monday afternoon. All ladies in the parish invited.

Woman's Missionary Society meets Wednesday at 8.30. Supper is served at 6.15. Stereopticon lecture on "In Furthest China," at 7.30. All welcome.

Y. P. S. C. D. Tuesday evening. Prayer meeting on Friday evening. Pastor's class on Tuesday at 7 p. m. and Thursday at 4.15. Training class Tuesday evening at 8.30.

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OUR PRICES LOWEST IN THE CITY
Coffee, 23c lb; 5 lbs. \$1.00
Salt apples, 3 lbs. 25c
Salt pork, 10 lbs. \$1.00
Good peas, 2 cans 15c
Fancy fowl, 22c lb
Smoked shoulders, 13c lb
Legs of lamb, 20c lb
Good corn, 2 cans 15c
Stickney & Poor's Cr. Tartar, 12c pkg.
Condensed milk, 10c can
Bacon, machine sliced, 18c lb
Lemon soap, 7 bars 25c; 30 bars \$1.00
Boiled ham, 30c lb
Corned shoulders, 13c lb
Roast pork, 18c lb



NOTICE.

The Board of Public Works invites bids on Five Hundred (500) tons more or less, crushed Trap Rock, F. O. B. Portsmouth, N. H., to be delivered as required during the year 1916. Bids will be received until 8 p. m. April 15, 1916, and then publicly opened.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS,
W. A. Hodgdon, Supl.

MANY INJURED BY MOLTEN STEEL AT PITTSBURGH

Converter Tips Over Spreading Fluid Over Excavation Occupied by Sixty Workmen.

(Special to The Herald)

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 8.—Fourteen men were seriously burned, three of whom are believed to be dying tonight here as the result of the tipping of a Bessemer converter at the Jones and Laughlin's plant at Wood-Jawa this morning. The great mass of molten steel was spilled from the converter and flowed over the ground occupied by 60 men who were excavating for a new foundation for one of the proposed new buildings of the plant. All of the men were in danger and many had narrow escapes before reaching places of safety. The injured were brought to this city on a special train and were cared for at the hospitals.

TWO KILLED BY AUTOS AT SALEM

Drivers, Charged With Manslaughter, Are Held in \$1000 Each.

Salem, Mass., April 8.—Ellis Fournier, the 9 year old son of Joseph Fournier of 69 Leach street and Eva Lapointe, 17 years old the daughter of Ernest Lapointe of 11 Harrison avenue were fatally injured in automobile accidents yesterday afternoon.

Miss Lapointe in company with a girl friend, was crossing Washington street when she was struck by the automobile of John Devlin, driven by Amade Bousquet of 113 Loring avenue. She was unconscious when picked up and died later at the Salem hospital.

It was stated that at the time of the accident the car was traveling at the rate of 20 miles an hour.

The Fournier boy, the police state, left a store on the corner of Jefferson

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avenue and Cloupinman street, and started to cross the avenue. He was behind a large electric truck, which shut off his view. It is said that he stepped in the path of the automobile driven by William B. Wilson, of 601 Essex street, Lynn. The lady's skull was fractured and his leg was broken. He died while being removed to the hospital. Witnesses say that the car was traveling about 15 miles an hour.

Both Bousquet and Williams were arrested and held in \$1000 each on manslaughter charges. They will appear at the district court this morning at 9 o'clock.

MEN IN THE SERVICE ARE GOOD FELLOWS.

(From York Transcript)

Over in York, N. H., they are going to run a masque ball, and in the printed notices of the ball, uniformed enlisted men were barred from the floor. And now the bye management has had to apologize. It is serious business to discriminate against the uniform of the United States Army or Navy, and is unequal for last winter, the Y. M. C. A. basketball team played two games with a marine team from the Navy yard, and found them the cleanest and fairest playing team that was on the York floor the entire season. Occasionally we see the "uniform" over here, in summer and on holidays, and the men always behave themselves. Of course, among hundreds of men there is bound to be a few who prove objectionable, but that is no reason why the entire army or navy should be barred from any public place.

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It is the constant purpose of the First National Bank of Portsmouth to make its service of practical value to every depositor and client and you will find here every facility for promptness and efficiency. Accounts subject to check are invited.

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Extraordinary Values For Saturday

Just arrived from New York with a New Stock of the Very Latest Styles of

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NOTICE To House Owners

Due notice is hereby given that you have no excuse for not painting up this Spring. As I'm going out of the Paint Department of my business, I've made prices on the well known Acme Quality Paints that will make your dollar do the work of \$1.50.

Inside Paint, Outside Paint, Deck Paint, Paint for chicken coops or barn doors—we have it. Screen Paint and Varnishes. Every drop of paint in the store is yours at cut prices.

Why not take advantage of this big opportunity?

All Paint Brushes are going in this sale, also.

If you want to Save Money, here is the chance—it's up to you.

THE SWEETSER STORE
MARKET STREET PORTSMOUTH

BANK EXAMINATION HIGHER UNDER FEDERAL RESERVE LAW

The new system of examination instituted as a result of the federal reserve law is being found much more expensive by national banks. In most cases banks are being assessed from three to four times what they were under the national banking act.

The federal reserve act revised the system of bank examinations and put the examiners on a salary basis. Before they were paid according to a fixed schedule of assessment upon the banks.

While this was a somewhat unsatisfactory arrangement as far as examiners were concerned, cost to the banks themselves was never found burdensome. Examiners in the reserve centers received compensation out of proportion with those in country districts. Now that they have been put upon a salary basis the new law gives greater latitude to the comptroller of the currency in assessing national banks.

The federal reserve act provides that every member bank shall be examined at least twice a year, as heretofore, but "the expenses of examination herein provided for shall be assessed by comptroller of the currency upon banks examined in proportion to assets or resources held by the banks upon dates of examination." The provision therefore vests the comptroller of the currency with discretionary power at once, instead of the capital schedule fixed by the national banking act.

It is understood that the new schedule

fixed by the comptroller is a charge of \$25 for the first \$25,000 of a bank's assets and three cents for each additional \$100,000 of assets. A large bank with say \$200,000,000 of assets, is therefore liable for an assessment of like \$6000. This is much more than was charged them before. A number of instances are reported of national bank officials refusing to pay the examination charge when sent in. In some cases the charge amounted to fully four times what it was before.

In addition to the wider authority vested in the bank examiners by the federal reserve act, national banks are liable to further special examinations by the federal reserve banks. These examinations are to be made only with approval of the federal reserve agent or the federal reserve board. The expense of such examinations shall be borne by the banks examined. Such examinations shall be so conducted as to inform the federal reserve bank of condition of member banks and of the lines of credit being extended by them. Every federal reserve bank shall at all times furnish to the federal reserve board such information as may be demanded concerning condition of any member bank within the district of said federal reserve bank.

As all members of the clearing house association, the local national banks are under supervision of another special highly examined class of institutions.

N. J. Mrs. John Rogers of New York, and Mrs. Florence Bayard Little of Wilmington, Del.

Mexico Causes Worry.

The anxiety of the military experts in Washington over the Mexican situation and the position of General Pershing's command increases daily. General Pershing has indicated that it would be highly unwise to send any considerable body of Americans into further pursuit of Villa, who has eluded General Pershing and gone south, because that would involve a line of communication so long as to make it entirely possible for even small bands of Villa followers, or sympathizers to break it. It is believed here that Villa has broken up his command if it can be dignified by so formal a name, into small bodies instructed to mislead and harass the American troops wherever possible, to attack American supply trains when they can be found unprotected, and to seek revenge by the murder and pillage of any American civilians who may be encountered. Carranza's refusal to permit this country to utilize the Mexican railroads to transport troops and supplies has, of course, greatly hampered the efforts of General Pershing and Pershing, while all appeals to Washington to permit the forcible utilization of the roads have been emphatically refused by President Wilson, whose supposition in dealing with the Mexican bandit is as marked today as it was when Carranza flouted the United States two years ago during the Niagara Mediation Conference.

Army Now Overstrained

The resources of the Army are already strained to the breaking point and there are practically no more troops to send into Mexico. To go counter to this advice of General Pershing, which is cordially endorsed by the military experts in Washington, would involve grave risk of disaster to those soldiers already on Mexican soil. Their peril, it is felt by the military authorities, is already sufficiently great. They are confronted by expert guerrilla fighters, armed with the latest type of high-power rifles and the best ammunition, which has been supplied to them by American manufacturers with the encouragement of the President of the United States. It is realized that any general slaughter of the soldiers in Pershing's command would inevitably be followed by such an overwhelming demand for retributions and for a straightening out of conditions in Mexico generally that the Administration could hardly resist it, much as it would wish to. And any general invasion of Mexico will necessitate vastly increasing the personnel of the Army.

Tariff and the Farmer.

That the Democratic tariff has proved highly injurious to the farmer without the slightest offset in reduced prices to the consumer is abundantly proved by the statistics compiled by Democratic officials of the Government. The importation of meats and dairy products, wool, farm animals (including cattle, hogs, sheep and poultry), eggs and such products of the soil as grains, hay, vegetables and plants has increased by leaps and bounds. During the first ten months of the Underwood bill the increase in this class of importation over the corresponding period of the Payne bill amounted to \$102,000,000 or 142 per cent. Even the war, which has operated in some respects like a protective tariff by diminishing foreign production and increasing the foreign demand, could not offset the reduced rates of the Underwood bill. The increase during ten months of the war under the Democratic measure being 100 per cent over a like period under the Payne bill. It requires no expert economist or statistician to calculate what injury would have been done to a farmer had not the European War intervened to diminish to some extent the effects of the Democratic tariff, or what would be the results to the farmers if the war should suddenly cease before that bill is radically revised.

Political Straws.

The political straws furnished by local and municipal elections continue to afford strong evidence of the direction in which the political wind is blowing and almost without exception they indicate that it is blowing against the Democratic Party. (Hartford) Conn., has just held an election in which the Republican candidate for Mayor was elected by a large majority and the

CHILD'S TONGUE BECOMES COATED IF CONSTIPATED

When cross, feverish and sick give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely. A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is, they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour, then your little one becomes cross, half sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

Democratic Board of Aldermen displaced by a Republican board. So sweeping was the municipal landslide that Jas. T. Farrell, a Democrat who for twenty years had held the office of Assessor, was turned out of office and decisively beaten. Kansas City also contributed its quota to the long list of local Republican victories. The Democratic Mayor was defeated by Geo. H. Edwards, the Republican candidate, by a large majority.

BOSTON LETTER

Boston, April 8.—Massachusetts spends \$25,000,000 each year for the relief of the poor, of which \$10,000,000 is state funds and the remainder contributed by private charities, according to a statement of Robert Kelso, Secretary of the Massachusetts State Board of Charity. Secretary Kelso said that the private charities supplementing the work of the state organizations, took up the work where the latter left off. He declared that the state organizations supplied funds to relieve acute distress, while the private organizations contributed in constructive work in making possible education of the young and helping out dependents in ways which, under the law, the state organizations were not permitted to handle. He cited figures to show that the state is spending \$1,000,000 a year on almshouses, more than 101,000 persons being cared for there.

About 1000 delegates representing the 15,000 men and women of the Massachusetts Branch of the American Federation of Labor, will meet in Wells Memorial on Saturday afternoon, April 29, to take definite steps toward the establishment of a labor political party. The movement had its inception several months ago at a meeting of the Boston Central Labor Union, and received the endorsement of the American Federation of Labor state convention at New Bedford, that meeting instructed the executive board and legislative committee to prepare preliminary plans.

After a tour of down-town streets in which she was accompanied by suffrage leaders in five automobiles, suffragely decorated with yellow, Margaret Foley, Boston's best known suffragist, left Boston for a three months' speaking trip through the Southern and middle western states. She carried with her letters of greetings from Mayor Curley to the mayors of the cities in which she will proclaim the right of woman to equal suffrage. Miss Foley's itinerary includes Baltimore, where she will speak today; Norfolk, Newport News, Richmond and other cities in Virginia; Pensacola, Fla.; Mobile, Ala.; New Orleans; Memphis, Minneapolis and several cities in the state of Michigan. She will attend both the Republican National Convention in Chicago and the Democratic convention in St. Louis.

State Fire Warden N. C. Hitchins has sent out orders to set the watch for forest fires, beginning next week, the whole eastern part of the state from the top of Cape Cod to the thickly settled portions north will be under the watchful guardianship of trained observers. The forty alert towers for fire observation in Barnstable, Barnstable, Bourne, Plymouth, Middleboro, Fall River, Rehoboth, Hanson and Sharon, will again be opened for the season and observers will constantly be on guard in them from early morning until 8 at night. This will make from 150,000 to 250,000 acres of land under con-

stant watch during the three of day which fires are likely to start.

Within a short time it may be possible for every nation of a hotel, restaurant or bakery in the city of Boston to have the satisfaction of knowing that his food has been prepared by a "sanitary cook." A short time ago the voluntary examination of all persons engaged in the preparation of foods were established by the city board of health but a bill is now before the legislature which would change the voluntary system of examinations into a compulsory one.

CAN WE AFFORD PREPAREDNESS?

The average minimum expense for the man who attends the Plattsburg and other "business men's training camps" is about \$15. This is not all these men give up. They lose their vacation usually. They miss, in many cases, time from their business which means financial sacrifice. Few get through on the \$45 minimum. An average would probably be about \$100.

But considering only the \$45. What does it mean?

There are today in the United States about 32,000,000 men of twenty years and over. Not all are physically fit for military service. But all are in duty bound to contribute to the common defence according to their abilities.

If each of these 32,000,000 gave the \$45 in actual cash which the training camp men bring out of his own pocket, we would have a defense fund of \$1,440,000,000.

If each contributed the \$100 which the average summer camp man spends on his "vacation" of hard work preparing to defend our country from invasion, our army and navy would have \$3,200,000,000. Can we afford preparedness?

N. H. COLLEGE NOTES

First Baseball Game Today. New Hampshire College, Durham, N. H., April 7.—Coach W. H. Cowell announces that there will be a practice game of baseball on the college field tomorrow afternoon, and that the game with the University of Maine will be played here the afternoon of April 11 as scheduled.

It has been doubtful for several weeks whether the field would be dry enough for use by that time, but the varsity squad has been out on it now almost a week and the diamond will be in reasonably good shape by the eleventh if there is no more rain.

The long indoor training in athletics has been of great benefit to the New Hampshire men and they have been able to round into form rapidly without developing sore muscles. There are 54 men out for the team but the first lineup will probably not be decided upon until after the practice game Saturday. There are seven men in the squad who have made their letters in baseball. There are 14 battery candidates including six good catchers.

New uniforms have arrived and the men are to have an unusually large assortment of bats, as Coach Cowell believes the individual must be exactly suited if he is to develop batting strength.

The field and track season opens here April 25 when the annual Inter-Collegiate meet is held. The competitors are teams representing companies in the cadet regiment and the event is in effect a tryout for the varsity team. Track candidates are planning to get back early from the spring vacation which this year closes the day before the opening meet. The first inter-collegiate contest in the dual meet with Bates at Lewiston, Maine.

If the weatherman thinks that last night's temperature was what we are looking for he has one more thing coming to him.

FACT

Local Evidence. Evidence that can be verified. Fact is what we want. Opinion is not enough. Opinions differ. Here's a Portsmouth fact. You can test it.

Chas. E. Oliver, barber, 18 Vaughan St., Portsmouth, says: "Long hours of standing and constant strain on the muscles of my back, caused by stooping, is what brought on kidney trouble in my case. At times I was so lame that I could hardly attend to my business and I was in misery when I did. I was also troubled by dizziness and headaches that at times became severe. I finally began using Doan's Kidney Pills and soon the pain and all other symptoms of kidney complaint left." (Statement given July 18, 1906).

On October 21, 1915, Mr. Oliver said: "I have previously recommended Doan's Kidney Pills very widely and I have never had occasion to change my high opinion of them. The benefit they gave me has been permanent, as I have never had to use them for a long time." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Oliver has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

GASOLINE PRICES ARE UNCHANGED

LEADING OIL MEN SAY THAT NO DROP MAY BE LOOKED FOR THIS YEAR.

The price of gasoline in this section of the country remains unchanged. All four of the principal companies, Standard Oil, Gulf Refining and Texas, are quoting 25 cents a gallon to garages in Boston, 24 in New York, and 23 in New Jersey. Prices in Connecticut are the same as those in New York.

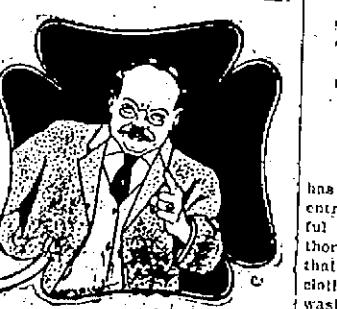
Conservative oil men are inclined to believe that further increases are not to be expected in the immediate future. It can be safely assumed that their failure to hint at increases has been the result of the many complaints caused by the high prices. Threats of government ownership of oil wells, investigation by federal authorities into the possibility of unlawful competition and the recent action of automobile manufacturers to market oil themselves has apparently convinced some of the big corporations that further increases are not advisable.

Authoritative advices from all companies discredit entirely their early threat of 40-cent gasoline this summer. While they are predicting no further increase they are firm in saying that the price will not go down, and argue that the present supply and demand question justifies the present prices.

ROUNDTREE'S STILL OBJECT OF SUSPICION.

Although William Roundtree of Newburyport is camping in jail after his recent conviction on the charge of selling liquor illegally, his family remains an object of suspicion and the police officials have made several visits in their search for more of the family to join Big Bill if the sales are still going on. Marshal McLean and several of his officers made a call on Mrs. Sarah Roundtree at her home at 28 Independence street on Thursday but there was nothing doing in the booze line. It is quite evident that the Newburyport police officers are as familiar with the Roundtree tactics as were the Portsmouth officers when the family claimed this city as their home.

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MOBILIZE FOR SUFFRAGE CAMPAIGN

Washington April 8.—Suffrage forces of the Congressional Union were mobilizing here today for what is expected to be the biggest offensive movement yet tried. One representative of each non-suffrage state arrived for the series of conferences which will extend until tomorrow evening, when the delegation heads westward to invade states having out-frage.

According to the plans the 35 women will go into the twelve far western states to organize women voters to throw their votes in the fall elections wherever they can most benefit the suffrage cause. Candidates in those states who are known to disfavor a national amendment will be

strenuously opposed without regard to party affiliations.

"Women will vote for suffrage, not for a party. Everything is to be slicked for the cause," said several of the leaders today. "By this method we hope to get representation enough in congress to force an amendment by the next session."

The tour of the women will last six weeks. In that time it is hoped by strenuous efforts to have the suffrage forces in the twelve states mobilized to defeat any candidate who will not pledge his support to the cause.

Among the women here for the conferences and who will take part in the western campaign are: Mrs. Harriet Stanton Black in charge of the political department of the union; Miss Anna Constatble of New York; Mrs. Miss Van Winkle of Morristown,

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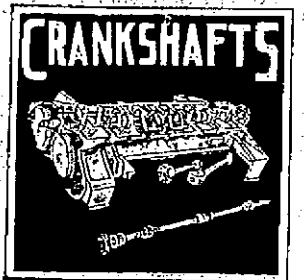
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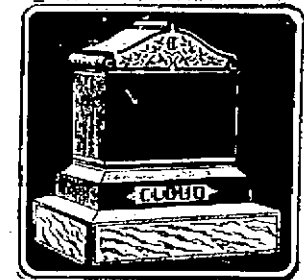
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"TAG DAYS" ARE DISAPPROVED

Manchester Police Chief Pre-
dicts a Statute Against
Them.

Manchester, April 7.—That "tag" days, "flower" days, and other such schemes publicly employed to solicit funds for some cause or other, do not meet with the approval of Police Chief M. J. Healy is evident from his expressions when questioned yesterday as to his opinion on the ruling of Commissioner O'Meara of Boston prohibiting the practice in the Hub.

In New Hampshire there is no law against such solicitation of money at the present time, neither is there any statute permitting it. It is Chief Healy's belief that in the near future there will be, and should be a law either allowing the practice or prohibiting it entirely.

He expressed himself as heartily in favor of the action of Commissioner O'Meara and termed the practice as nothing more or less than a "hold-up."

In reality the permission of this public solicitation is a privilege, granted undoubtedly out of consideration for the worthy cause for which the funds are sought, but in this city and elsewhere in New Hampshire as well as Massachusetts and other New England states, the practice has become so general and overworked as to become objectionable to the police officials.

Of late, "tag days" and "flower days" have become very popular means of raising funds, in some cases the object not warranting solicitation from the general public on the streets.

Chief Healy does not go on record as ready to take it upon himself to prohibit the practice, but he makes it very plain the plan does not meet with his approval. As there is no law here either in favor or against the measure, a remedy cannot well be applied at the present time. However, the chief's opinion of the situation is of interest and it is very probable that immediate steps will be taken which will eventually bring about a statute bearing directly on this public solicitation.

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problem, the highway commission had a problem in constructing roads suitable for motor traffic. They have by experiment arrived at a satisfactory solution in the use of sand and oil mixed. The process is to excavate the surface sand and then shape the subgrade, hardening the soft spots as much as possible. Then dry sand is heated and put in an ordinary concrete mixer with a quantity of hot, heavy asphaltic oil, and the two are thoroughly mixed and heated. When the sand is thoroughly coated with oil and while the mass is still hot, it is taken to the road and spread in much the same manner as asphalt is spread on a city street. Usually the mixture is laid in one course, though sometimes in two. The shaping is done with rakes and then it is rolled by a horse roller. After a few hours the steam roller is brought into use and the surface rolled hard and smooth. The final process is to seal the surface with an application of hot oil spread by a distributor; the oil is then covered with sand, and this in turn covered by more oil and more sand.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Pearl Street People's Baptist Church
Rev. John L. Davis minister.
11 a. m. Sermon by pastor Davis.
12 noon. Sunday School in charge of Supt. H. B. Burton.
7 p. m. Christian Endeavor. William D. Blanka president.
8 p. m. Sermon by pastor Davis. Subject, "Remember Me." Communion. Right hand of fellowship.
Selection by the choir:
Arise My Soul, Arise Wesley
He Hides Within the Lily Hamer
O Praise the Lord of Heaven Marks

Court Street Christian Church
Rev. Percy W. Caswell pastor.
Morning worship with sermon by the pastor at 10.30. Subject, "Man's Reflection of God."
Bible School session at 12 o'clock.
Onward Class meets at same hour.
Prayer and social service at 7.30.
Short sermon by the pastor. Subject "The Deception of the Heart."
Monthly meeting of the Four Leaf Clover Society, Tuesday evening at 7.45 at the home of Mrs. Florence Shaw 603 Denmark street. A large attendance of members is desired.
Mid week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30.
Entertainment and lecture in the auditorium Thursday evening. The Rev. P. S. Sator of Stratham, N. H., is the lecturer.
If you have no church home we cordially invite you to attend our services. All seats are free.

North Congregational Church
Morning worship at half past ten o'clock with preaching by the pastor. Evening service at half past seven o'clock. Rev. P. B. Bridgman will speak. Subject, "At the Hub of South Africa."
Young People's meeting at 6.30 p. m. in the parish house.
Session of the Sunday school at the noon hour in the chapel.

Church of Christ, Universalist
Rev. Luther W. Atwood minister.
Morning worship 10.30.
Sunday school 12 m.
Yespens 5 p. m.
Thursday, Mission Circle 3 p. m.
Friday, Lenten service 7.30 p. m.
Music for Sunday:
Anthem, O Lord my Trust is in Thy Mercy Hall
Anthem, Still, Still With Thee Saul
Duet, The King of Love Jerome
Solo, Tarry With Me, O My Savior Shackley
The choir will be assisted by Mrs. A. Leon Smith and Mr. Chester C. Miller.

Unitarian Church
Morning service at 10.30. Preaching by Rev. Alfred Gooding.
Sunday school at chapel on Court street at noon.
The choir will render the following stores.

Christ Church
Pastor, R. Webb minister.
Morning Worship at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. Subject of sermon "Our Present Sense of Evil."
Bible School at 11.45.
Union service of the week held in the Christian church. Union choir will furnish the musical service for Sunday evening. Dr. Thayer of North church of the city will address service on Monday evening. Rev. George L. Drown, pastor of Congregational church will speak Tuesday evening. Services to begin at 7.30.
Ladies' Social Union will meet for social and supper Wednesday evening at 6.30.
Advent Christian Church
Irving F. Barnes pastor.
9.30 Sunday service.
10.30 a. m. Morning worship with sermon by Rev. John P. Longland of Hampton.
12.00 m. Sunday school.
6.00 p. m. Junior Loyal Workers.
7.15 p. m. There will be a service of song in which the choir will sing from the new hymn book Golden Shield No. 2 and the male chorus will also render a selection.
The hymns sung by the congregation will be the oldest to be found in the hymnal.
The pastor will preach a short sermon on Trees.
Loyal Workers prayer meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

First Methodist Episcopal Church
Miller Avenue
There will be no services conducted at this church Sunday as the pastor is attending the annual conference at Manchester.
The Missionary Societies of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold meetings in the vestry Wednesday afternoon and evening, April 12. Supper will be in charge of the Women's Home Society.
Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, No. 2 Market Street
Services: Sunday morning at 10.45. Sunday evening at 7.30 and Wednesday evening at 7.45. All are welcome. Subject for April 9, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?"
Sunday school at 11.50 a. m.
A free reading room is maintained at the same address, where all authorized Christian Science literature may be read or procured. Open to the public daily, except Sundays and holidays, from 2 to 4 p. m.

Christian Church, Rye.
Arlene R. Webb minister.
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MOTHER OBJECTS TO MARRIAGE IN PORTSMOUTH

ELOPERS MARRIED HERE ARE IN
BAD WITH GROOM'S PARENT
AS SHE FEARED CEREMONY
WAS NOT JEWISH.

Mrs. Nathan Aronson of 13 George street, Chelsea, Mass., mother of Edward Aronson who eloped to this city some days ago and was married here to Miss Sadie Jolles of Roxbury, Mass., said on Friday to a reporter of a Boston paper, "If my son was married by a justice of the peace I will not allow him in the house and I will try to have the marriage annulled." It has been learned here that the young couple were married by Rabbi Harry Liberson, which will likely be satisfactory to the mother of the 19-year old eloper as her one objection to the marriage was the non-use of the Jewish marriage rite.

The elopement which culminated in the marriage in this city is one of several romance mixups in the family. The bride is 20 years old and was employed as a book keeper in the business owned by her husband's father. A sister of Mrs. Aronson, the groom's mother, is the second wife of the bride's father and the step mother of the bride.

Young Aronson was graduated from Chelsea High School in 1914 and was prominent in athletics. He is studying law in the evening classes of the Boston Y. M. C. A. working as a salesman for his father day times.

CLEAN UP AND PAINT UP

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First: Take your telephone in hand—get a half dozen boosters together—"the fewer the quicker" you'll get started. Talk it over and before you part, agree upon a meeting to be held a day or two later—each of you agreeing to have present at that time other certain ones whose interest will be valuable, especially some public official and some physicians who can tell about the need of public and private cleanliness.

Second: When the meeting is called, organize at once. Select a chairman and other officers (we suggest enough vice chairmen to include every co-operating organization and interest) and instruct the new chairman to appoint all the chairmen of the various sub-committees within a day or two—these and the officers to constitute the general committee. There should be committees on co-operation, finance and publicity, one to provide wagons for rubbish collections, one to obtain the co-operation of the school children, and one to interest all merchants.

Adopt a resolution requesting the board of health to proclaim the opening of the campaign for the cleaning, sanitation, and beautification of the town.

Adjourn after fixing date for a get-to-work meeting a few days later, which all these chairmen and members of their committees will attend to plan their work.

Third: Write to Chairman Allen W. Clark of the National Clean Up and Paint Up Campaign Bureau, Kinloch building, St. Louis, Mo., and get free literature telling how to clean up and paint up the town, together with reports of results in cities, towns and villages throughout the country.

Fourth: Get as many men and women as possible to work, each at some specific thing. Don't make the mistake of leaning upon one willing and patient enthusiast all the detail and responsibility of this work, and chairmen who will think and work and inspire suggestion and zeal among the members of their committees, are essential.

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FOR SALE—Italian Motor Boat, 21 ft. long, 11 h. p. Fairbanks engine. Apply F. J. Trefethen, Portsmouth, N. H. R. P. D. No. 2. ch 1f a4

FOR SALE—5 incubators, 5 brooders, 1 Maxwell runabout, 1 indoor brooder, 20 Indian Runner ducks. George A. Norton, Greenland, N. H. he a1, 1w

FOR SALE—House lots on river front, good beverage, handy to trolley and steam cars. Apply Hobbs & Stepling, Kittery Depot, Me. he m30, 1m

FOR SALE—Dry wood at Cook Farm, Kittery Jct., Me. Lowest prices, prompt delivery. Tel. 952W. he5, 1f

FOUND

FOUND—On Congress street, an umbrella. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this ad. Call at Benfield's store or Hotel Prescott. Ask for Mr. J. H. Upson. Keeper Isles of Shoals Station.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Your opportunity to buy a home, must sell. Emmanuel Home, Kittery, on Government street; two story house, with oil and stable. For particulars address J. A. Wright, Rumney, N. H. he a4, 1w

FOR SALE—The Ambrose Home, a 20-room house in Greenland Village; must be sold at once. Correspond with J. A. Wright, Rumney, N. H. he a4, 1w

LOST

LOST—Fountain pen between Y. M. C. A. and Thornton St., Thursday evening. Finder return to Joseph Dudley, No. 27 Thornton St. ch 1w a5

CEMETERY LOTS

CARED FOR and TURFING DONE

With increased facilities the subscribers again are prepared to take charge of and keep in order such lots in any of the cemeteries of the city as may be entrusted to their care. They will also give careful attention to the turfing and grading of them, also to the cleaning of monuments and headstones, and the removal of bodies. In addition to work at the cemeteries they will do turfing and grading in the city on short notice.

Cemetery lots for sale; also Leam and Turf.
Orders left at residence, corner of Richards avenue and South street, or by mail with Oliver A. Ham, 54 Market street, will be given prompt attention.

M. J. GRIFFIN & SON.

U. S. NAVY YARD FERRY TIME TABLE

In Effect Feb. 28, 1916.

WEEK DATES.

Leave Navy Yard for Portsmouth—7.50, 8.35, 9.15, 10.00, 10.30, 11.15, 11.40 a. m.; 12.45, 1.05, 1.35, 2.15, 2.45, 3.21, 4.10, 4.40, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 6.55, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20 p. m.

Leave Portsmouth for Navy Yard—8.10, 8.45, 9.30, 10.15, 11.00, 11.30 a. m.; 12.15, 12.55, 1.30, 1.55, 2.30, 3.00, 3.40, 4.20, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.35, 8.10, 9.35, 10.05, 10.35, 11.10, 11.35 p. m.

Note—Enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps, attached to this Naval Station are authorized to use the Navy Yard Ferry for all trips except those marked *.

SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS.

Leave Navy Yard—9.10, 10.00, 10.13, 11.30 a. m.; 12.15, 12.45, 1.45, 2.45, 3.45, 4.50, 5.40, 6.20 p. m.

Leave Portsmouth—9.30, 10.07, 11.00, 12.05 a. m.; 12.35, 1.10, 2.10, 3.10 4.10, 5.10, 5.35,

North Church, Sunday, 7.30 P. M.**Subject, "At the Hub of South Africa"****SPEAKER—REV. F. B. BRIDGMAN**
Missionary and Traveler.

Where thirty years ago roamed herds of wild antelope has arisen a modern city. Forty per cent. of the world's gold comes from this region. Greater Johannesburg, popularly called "The Rand," with its nearly half million inhabitants, is one of the most cosmopolitan cities of the empire. The Golden City is not only the financial, industrial, and political hub of South Africa, but also its storm center. Mr. Bridgman tells a very interesting story of life and work in "The Rand," and of the influences radiating from it.

LOCAL DASHES

A little cool for the spring lid.
Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch.
Tel. 133.

Work on the "white way" begins on Monday.

The Greenland flitely keeps busy all the time.

The wind is a great help in drying up the streets.

Rattan Lunch Baskets

E. C. Matthews Hardware & Paint Co.

The promoters of the local fair of 1915 are already at work on the plans for 1916.

Only two weeks in which to complete the fund for the "will's" new Easter, Ltd.

The excavating for the foundation of the Army and Navy Home will start next week.

Meeting at the Salvation Army hall, State street, tomorrow at 3.15 and at 7.30. Welcome.

Where are the curbstone diplomats? It is understood that they haven't held a session for several weeks.

J. H. Dowd & Co., marble and granite works, 52 Market street.

The business firms and residents of Daniel street are going to have something to say on the laying of that street.

While Boston is booming Boston under the movement of "booming New England," why not a local boom for Portsmouth?

How many of the citizens of Portsmouth know that there are ten school houses in Portsmouth or could tell where they are located?

Lobsters and fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day, E. Jamieson & Sons, Tel. 245.

Another day off from school for the small boys, to be followed by the weekly bath. Some draw-back has to come to every measure.

Articles of incorporation have been filed with the Secretary of State, Edwin C. Bean, by the Franklin Country club. The capitalization is \$10,000.

The Portsmouth City Band, under the direction of Howard S. Kneeland, is working three nights a week in anticipation of the summer business.

Upholstering, hair mattresses renovated, Mingeon Bros., Tel. 570.

The committee in charge of the Elks' Movie Ball will have a meeting at the Elks' Hall on Monday evening at 8.00 o'clock. James W. Barrett is chairman and W. W. J. Murphy is secretary of the committee.

Five Horses for Sale—Albert Hisslop is showing at his stable on Vaughan street a carload of extra fine young horses from Indiana. Every horse guaranteed. No ad. 31

WANTED—A capable cook. References required. Steady job to right party. Apply Hotel Piscataqua, Kittery, Me. No ad. 31

HILTON HALL.

Hilton Hall is now fully equipped to receive the public at its official opening, Saturday evening, April 15. An exhibition of modern dancing will be given by a young lady who will be found at Hilton Hall during the coming season. "Chicken, steak" and broiled live lobster dinners will be served, also a special course dinner for \$1.50. Good music for dancing.

Apron Display

WHITE MUSLIN—Tea Aprons, 25c and 50c
Sewing Aprons, 25c
Waitress Aprons, 25c and 50c
Misses' Aprons, 25c and 50c
Skirt Aprons, 25c and 50c
PERCALE & GINGHAM—Bungalow Aprons.
39c, 50c, 75c, 87½c
Fudge Aprons, 50c
Skirt Aprons, 25c

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FAIR TRACK FOR
COMING SEASON**

Several Meetings Planned by
Portsmouth Driving Club
at Meeting Held on
Friday.

The lovers of horse racing are going to see a lot of action on the track at the fair grounds this season. At a meeting of the Portsmouth Driving Club held in the Board of Trade rooms on Friday evening it was voted to hire the track for the year from the Southern New Hampshire Agricultural Fair Association.

The first race, planned by the club will be held on Memorial Day and the second big meeting on July 4. Several Saturday night races are also scheduled although the dates are not as yet chosen.

The meeting was presided over by Charles A. Allen, president.

THE HERALD HEARS

That a Republican of Ward One in the Christian Shore district is said to be after the berth on the board of public works.

That he expects to be considered for his past record in party fighting in the ranks of the voters of Ward One.

That he claims it would be easy picking if the mayor would only nominate him.

That alterations are being made in the cell of the laundry building on Hill street to make more room for the Vickers company.

That the Boston and Maine is doing a good job of spring cleaning on the property in this city.

That Dan Cupid worked a queer one at Fredericton, N. B., a few days ago.

That Thomas Nelson, aged 71 years, took a 16 year old bride by the name of Alice Gallagher.

That the ministers there objected to performing the ceremony and it was necessary to secure the assistance of the government to obtain the marriage license.

That after getting the license nobody could be found who cared to unite them in marriage.

That the chaplain of the New Brunswick legislature finally tied the knot.

That Cupid must have got his signals crossed on this job.

That the bowlers at the Portsmouth Driving Club, would like to go against the team from England.

That the only place to do howling is on the alleys—go to it.

That a member of a well known musical organization is certainly there with the cats.

That oranges and eggs are his regular menu.

That he shines mostly on the hen fruit.

That he tucked away 17 raw eggs, shells included, at a Monday meal on Friday.

That he also has another variety of cuts which no health bureau has yet announced as food.

That another Daniel street clerk has come into the limelight with the ladies.

That he always did shine with the fair sex.

That that little job on the baby carriage put him in right.

That the man is yet to be heard from who ever heard the clocks on the South ward room, North church and Jones brewery strike the hour together.

That a lively fight is on between the city of Dover and the Boston and Maine railroad over the proposed Essex street extension in that city.

That it is time for the Sunset League to be talking it up.

That the proposed improvements at the postoffice building do not include an elevator—something badly needed.

**AUTOS STUCK
IN THE MUD**

Eight Machines Stalled at
Newington in Forty-Eight
Hours.

For the past 48 hours automobiles have been out of luck at Newington on the highway between Gosling road and Badger's Corner where eight machines have been stalled in the mud. When daybreak broke this morning a big Chalmers machine was hard and fast in the wet earth up to the running board. Several attempts were made by heavy trucks to drag it out but all the work proved fruitless.

A crew of men with shovels then went to work and finally extricated the auto.

**YORK COUNTY
MEDICAL SOCIETY
MEETS AT SO. BERWICK**

The 34th quarterly meeting of the York County Medical Society was held at South Berwick on Thursday, Dr. H. L. Prescott of Kennebunk presiding.

Dr. John P. Thompson of Portland, professor of gynecology in the Bowdoin medical school, gave an excellent and carefully prepared address on the subject "Carcinoma." Dr. Frank N. Whittier of Brunswick, professor of pathology and bacteriology in the Bowdoin medical school, and counselor of the Maine Medical Association, was one of the guests, and he gave a brief talk which was especially interesting.

There were present: Drs. John P. Thompson, Portland; Frank N. Whittier, Brunswick; H. L. Prescott, Kennebunk; B. D. Jacques, Charles E. Cook, Frank A. Bess, South Berwick; Joseph W. Gordon, Ogunquit; Frank W. Smith, E. C. Cook, John C. Stewart, York Village; C. F. Kendall, G. F. Traubner, Hildeford; L. L. Powell, Saco; Harry J. Durbin, South Eliot; George W. Sutter, Salmon Falls; N. H. A. Davis, Bay City, Texas; J. A. Randall, A. L. Jones, Old Orchard; Messrs. Edwin H. Reeder, Saco; F. L. Ruffrich, Michael A. Furb, Portland.

Dr. John C. Stewart of York was elected a member.

**WAR RELIEF FUND
REACHES \$9,241.35**

At a meeting of the executive committee of the New Hampshire War Relief Committee, N. H. Dudley, the treasurer reported that \$9,241.35 had been contributed up to date. Of this amount \$7,743.53 has been given to the Serbians; \$2,333.01 to the Armenians; \$2,051.37 to the Poles; \$2,001.65 to the Belgians, leaving in the treasury \$36.99.

POLICE COURT.

The case of John Dowdall against John Makis, who Dowdall charged with assault, took up an hour in the police court on Friday afternoon, having been put over from the morning session. After hearing a variety of witnesses and the story of the defendant, who claimed self defense, the court imposed a fine of \$10 and costs of \$6.90 on Makis, which he paid.

NOTICE.

The officers of the Grafton Club wish to call the attention of the public to the fact that the use of their name in recent advertisements of a brand of aluminum ware is entirely unauthorized. Signed,
LILLIAN A. ODELL,
President.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to return our heartfelt thanks to Riverside Lodge, I. O. O. F., and all who rendered assistance and extended sympathy to us in our recent bereavement, also for the beautiful floral tributes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Grace and family.
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Replete with action and thrilling incidents.

Coming features for Monday and Tuesday—Orrin Johnson in "The Price of Power," Triangle play in 5 parts; Fatty Arbuckle and Mabel Normand in "He Did and He Didn't," Triangle-Keystone comedy in two reels; John Barrymore in "The Dictator," Paramount picture in five reels.

**ENTERTAINED
AT HIGH SCHOOL**

Portsmouth-Dartmouth Club
Gave Interesting Evening
to Friends on Friday.

A number of the Portsmouth-Dartmouth club, the Dartmouth Alumni Association of this city and their friends were entertained on Friday evening in Assembly hall at the high school building with a lecture by Ralph Walkington. The talk was on Dartmouth and was illustrated by a number of stereopticon views. Walkington is an Indian, a student in the 1915 class at Dartmouth and is one of the most popular boys in the institution. The evening was in charge of the Portsmouth-Dartmouth club, and Walkington's part of the entertainment included a number of songs and stories of Indian life as learned by him while a child at his home in Oklahoma. He is one of four men of the college who have been carrying on a series of religious meetings at the Y. M. C. A. in Manchester and other places and is the originator of the new Indian Dartmouth yell, used by the cheering sections at athletic games.

Russell H. Leavitt presided and the committee in charge included President Leavitt, assisted by Justin H. McCarthy, '16; Bailey V. Emery, '16; Leslie W. Leavitt, '16; Harold B. Wendell, '17; Clayton F. Mudge, '18; Philip H. Sanderson, '18; Chester L. Conlon, '18; Donald L. Finlayson, '19, for the students, and President John H. Bartlett, '20; Vice president, Superintendent of Schools, James N. Pringle, '20; Principal Frank F. Dunfield, '22, of the high school for the alumni.

NOW AN ORGANIZER

John W. S. Jovan of Manchester, former clerk of the excise commission, has become an organizer of courts of Association Canada-American.

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